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By the Queene.



**T**he Queenes Maiestie vpon considerations very great, and presently importyng the mayntenaunce of her people in peace with her neyghbours, and the conseruation at home of great multitudes to be in redynesse, as naturally they are bounde to serue the state of their natie countrey, as well in the necessary trades of marchaundise, by sea faryng and fshyng, as in all other seruices vpon the seas, both with her owne nauie, and the rest of the nauie of her Realme, for defence of her kingdomes, countreys, and good subiectes: doth most straghtly charge and commaunde, vppon payne of her high indignation and extreme punishment, that no person, of any manner of estate, shal from hencefoorth eyther arme, victuel, or other wyse prepare with any kynde of furniture, any shyppe or vessel to passe to the seas, but only for manifest vse of marchaundise, or fshyng, or for vsual passage of persons departyng lefully ouer the seas in places accustomed, neyther that any Maryner, sea faryng man, or souldier, or any person vnder colour thereof, do goe, or prepare hym selfe to goe out of the Realme, to serue in any shyppe or vessel of warre, belongyng eyther to any of her Maiesties dominions, or to any other prince, state, towne, or countrey forraigne, except in suche of her Maiesties owne shippes, as already are, or shalbe vpon the seas, or suche other as haue, or shal haue aucthoritie from her Maiestie, testified by her owne warraunt, or by testimonie of the Lorde Admirall of Englande in wytyng. And to the intent that this her commaundement may be duely kept, her Maiestie hath wylled and charged the sayd Lorde Admiral, to geue speciall commaundement to al his viceadmirals, & so her Maiestie doth charge al others, enioyng lefully any perticuler iurisdiction on admiral in any Porte or Creekes of her Realme, and al head officers of any Portes Coporate, and lyke wyse al officers of her custome houses, that haue to deale with bie wyng and searchyng of any shippes and vesselles employed for marchaundise, that euery one of these wyll from tyme to tyme carefully and earnestly see to theyr bittermost, that no pretext or colour be vsed, in armyng, or victuelling, or goyng to the seas with any furniture, but only playnely and directly for trade of marchaundise and fshyng, except it shalbe directly for her Maiesties owne Nauie, or for seruices vpon the seas by the syght of her speciall warraunt, or other wyse duely testified by the Lorde Admiral of Englande. And as her Maiestie meaneth moste sharpely to punishe the offenders agaynst this ordinaunce: so wyll she not fayle, but make an example of punishment of any officers that eyther wyllfully or negligently shal suffer this her commaundement to be violated or deluded.

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¶ *God saue the Queene.*

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